

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Saturday Fair
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METAL QUOTATIONS

SILVER _____ \$1.01 1/2
Copper _____ 28
Lead _____ 7.10
Quicksilver _____ \$125 @ \$180

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BIGGEST BATTLE OF WORLD

TEUTON HOSTS ARE SHATTERED BY BRITISH IN PICARDY

PEACE TERMS OUTLINED BY SENATOR LODGE
GERMANS BATTERED TO PIECES
ARE RETREATING IN CONFUSION
BRITISH NOW BEYOND ALBERT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Senator Lodge, ranking Republican member of the foreign relations committee, warned the senate against the "poisonous" of a German peace propaganda. He declared peace must be dictated to, not negotiated by Germany, to place her in a position never again to disturb the

world's peace.
In his speech in support of the man power bill Senator Lodge said: "Terms that must and will be forced upon Germany include complete restoration of Belgium, unconditional return of Alsace-Lorraine to France, of the Italian Irridentia to Italy, safety for Greece, independence for Serbia and Rumania, independence

for Poland, independence of the Slav people, freedom of Russia from German domination, including the return of Russian territory wrested by the Brest-Litovsk treaty making Constantinople a free port and Palestine must never return to Turkish rule. These are the principal conditions which will give us a peace worth having," he said.

(By Associated Press)
A battle that seems to be the greatest of the war has developed on the northern Picardy front. It is reported that disaster is threatening the whole German army on this front. Great masses of Teutons have been thrown into the struggle in the hope of checking the tide which British headquarters say is "setting against the Germans."

The British and Germans are locked in a mighty battle over a 25-mile front from Lihons, six miles south of the Somme, to the Cojeulle river south of Arras. It is officially reported that the British are making progress.

German attacks east of Beaucourt on the middle front were repulsed. Allied pressure continues strong on the whole front. The battered Germans are wavering on the northern and southern ends of the Picardy front, while retreating precipitately along the Oise. The French have occupied the southern bank of the Oise and Ailette from Sempigny to the railroad west of Coucy le Chateau. They reached the outskirts of Guyn and Pont St. Mar, bringing them further toward the rear of the Germans holding the hills north of Soissons and within three miles of the German positions north of Chemin Des Dames.

(By Associated Press)
BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Aug. 23.—(Reuter's Limited)—The British offensive, resumed Wednesday, has spread so rapidly that it is difficult to keep pace with its development. What now is being witnessed is the unfolding of a brilliant tactical scheme which must be causing the deepest concern to the German high command.

(By Associated Press)
WITH THE BRITISH IN FRANCE, Aug. 23.—It is reported that the British have captured Chalignolles and Horville, south of the Somme, eliminating a bend in the line and resulting in the capture of a thousand prisoners. It is reported that that Berriels, Berry and Becquerelle are taken.

The British still are pushing forward and the number of prisoners captured is growing.

The British have reached Comcourt, considered the chief German defensive position, and are attacking south of Gomicourt, pushing forward all along the line.

Meaulte, southeast of Albert fell early. The British are pressing across the Bray-Albert road. Happy Valley, north of Bray, was taken after hard fighting. Three German battalion headquarters were taken in that locality. A number of new German divisions were identified.

The British are reaching in the direction of Tara Hill, 1000 yards beyond Albert.

EXPLOSION ON WARSHIP KILLS FOUR

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The accidental explosion of a depth charge aboard the warship Orizaba killed Commander Williamson and three other men and wounded Commander White and eighteen men. The reported that a submarine was sighted astern half an hour ago. The guns were manned ready to fire immediately despite the fact the gun crew was hurt.

GERMANS WHIP REVOLUTIONISTS

(By Associated Press)
AMSTERDAM, Aug. 23.—The Germans were victorious over a force of the insurgent Russians, well equipped with artillery near Krometchuk, according to a Kiev dispatch. The revolutionaries lost 800 in a second encounter 64 miles northeast of Krometchuk.

HOOVER RETURNS HOME

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Hoover has arrived from Europe.

WRECKING HISTORICAL RAILROAD TO FURNISH FIGHTING MATERIAL

The Silver Peak railroad, running from Blair Junction on the Tonopah & Goldfield railroad to the Pittsburg Silver Peak mine and mill at Blair, will soon be a thing of the past. The line is being torn up and the material scrapped as quickly as it can be delivered from the eastern end of the line to the junction. Before the first of the month the railroad will be a memory and the steel and equipment may soon reappear on the front line in France or Siberia as a valuable adjunct to the military operations of the allies.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:

	1918	1917
5 a. m.	58	71
9 a. m.	69	77
12 noon	77	86
Maximum, Aug. 22	78	84
Minimum, Aug. 22	53	61
Relative humidity at noon today, 14 per cent.		

Yankee Accent For Big Bertha

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Aug. 23.—L'Heure asks: "Will the echo of the great Bertha soon be heard to have a Yankee accent?"

DIVER CAPTAIN CLAIMS HE SANK U.S.S. SAN DIEGO

LAUGHS AT STORIES OF SHIP CAPTAINS IN AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS

(By Associated Press)
PORTLAND, Maine, Aug. 23.—Captain Myrre, of the captured trawler Triumph, said the U-boat commander boasted that the American cruiser San Diego was torpedoed, not mined. The German officer also asserted that he sank the tanker Jennings. The latter's captain was then a prisoner aboard the submarine.

A number of Boston and Portland newspapers were taken from the Triumph and the German commander said he was much amused in reading how often his U-boat was rammed and sunk by steamers arriving at American ports.

GIRLS REPLACE MEN

(By Associated Press)
BURLINGAME, Cal., Aug. 23.—Two girl letter carriers today replaced two men who have gone to the front.

PASSENGER AIRPLANE IN SERVICE

CARRIES 9 PASSENGERS ACROSS THE BRITISH CHANNEL IN 30 MINUTES

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—A large British airplane and nine passengers flew from France to England in thirty minutes. An ordinary service plane of the largest type was used. The passengers had baggage equal to the amount they would carry if traveling by train or boat.

SHIPWRIGHTS ASK FOR BETTER WAGES

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Skilled workers in the shipping industry of the country have presented "friendly demands" to the labor adjustment board of the shipping board for increased wages with double pay for overtime and a bonus for night shop work.

FIVE GERMAN TOWNS ATTACKED BY BOMBS

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—Five important towns in Germany and five hostile airbases were heavily bombed Wednesday night by British squadrons.

TONOPAH SOLDIER LANDS IN HOSPITAL

L. L. Case, former cashier of the Wells Fargo office here, writes A. D. McCabe, his former associate, that he has been in the front line trenches and was wounded the last time he went over. The writer states that his injury is not serious but that he is in the hospital but expects to be all right soon. Mr. Case went out from Fresno as a Tonopah registrant when it was found that the quota here was one man short of the number to fill.

ARTILLERY AT KEARNY

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—It is announced that Camp Kearny will become an artillery instruction station.

5,000 PRISONERS IN DAY'S ADVANCE

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Aug. 23.—Havas News Agency advises say the French took five thousand prisoners in their advance Wednesday and Thursday between the Oise and Aisne rivers.

BRITISHER TORPEDOED 100 SAVED

(By Associated Press)
AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 23.—The British steamer Diomed was torpedoed and sunk off the coast. One hundred of the crew, some severely injured, were rescued and brought here by another British steamer.

NO MORE ROADWORK WEST OF ROCKIES

(By Associated Press)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—All highway road and street work except for war purposes will be stopped within thirty days in all states west of the Rockies, the California fuel oil administration announced today.

Register Saturday

All male persons who have reached their 21st birthday since June 5, 1918, and on or before August 24, 1918, must register tomorrow at the court house.

FIGHTING ON 50 MILE FRONT GAIN STEADILY

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—The battle front extends fifty miles north from Soissons. Everywhere it is going successfully for the entente. The British third army has gained more than a mile on a front of seven. The fourth army has gained two miles on a front of seven. The fourth army has taken 1500 Germans and the third took 500 at Comicourt.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 23.—South of the

RED GUARD CHIEF IS PRISONER OF BRITISH

(By Associated Press)
AMSTERDAM, Aug. 23.—The Hamburg Nachrichten prints a Moscow dispatch which says the Russian Red Guard after capturing Simbirsk on the Volga publicly hanged 300 Czech-Slovaks in the market place as reprisals for "atrocities" committed during the Czech occupation of the town.

CROSS THE OISE RIVER AND WITHIN REACH OF NOYON

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Aug. 23.—The French crossed the Oise river and reached the outskirts of Morlaucourt on the north side of the Oise, a mile and a half from Noyon station.

USE GLACIER ICE

(By Associated Press)
PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Aug. 8.—(By Mail)—Ice off a large glacier near here is being used by Canadian and American halibut fishermen to freeze and preserve their catches. The glacier is on Wark Island, one of the Queen Charlotte group of islands.

AMERICAN AIRMEN SCORE DIRECT HITS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—General Pershing's communique of Thursday says American aviators scored direct hits in the railroad yards of Longuyon, Audunne Roman and Conflans.

CZECHO SLOVAKS WIN BIG VICTORY

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—Lord Robert Cecil, under secretary of foreign affairs, announced today that reports were received in London that the Czech-Slovaks in Transbaikalia captured Berchinsk, south of Lake Baikal, and achieved a decided victory against the Bolsheviks.

AUSTRIAN OFFICERS FEAR THEIR MEN

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—An official dispatch from Switzerland says attempts on the lives of Austrian officers are increasing. It is reported that several commandants of Austrian corps advised officers in the rear to have their revolvers always ready.

ORDNANCE PLANTS ALMOST FINISHED

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The ordnance bureau announced today the completion of nineteen out of twenty-six plants to produce gun carriages and recoil mechanisms. Seven others are 95 per cent complete and the remainder 85 per cent. All are operating.

MILITARY COMMANDS TO RED GUARDS DELIVERED IN GERMANY

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—A Daily Mail dispatch Wednesday from Harbin says allied troops on the Ussuri river north of Vladivostok were forced to withdraw after heavy fighting in which the British and French participated. The brunt of the fighting was borne by Cossacks, Czech-Slovaks and Japanese aided in the retreat. Bolshevik monitors on Lake Hanka are harassing the allied left. Commands were given the Bolsheviks in German.